

# EXHIBIT A

Palestinian National Authority

Palestinian General Security  
General Intelligence  
West Bank Governorates Directorate  
Department: \_\_\_\_\_



No.: \_\_\_\_\_  
Date: 12/22/2001

Brother Head of Intelligence in the Ramallah and al-Bireh Governorate, may Allah protect him.

Greetings of the homeland.

Subject: Holy Land Foundation

This is an Arab foundation, which was established in America in the mid-1970s. It has branches in most of the countries in the region. The Palestinian branch was headed by Anis al-Qeiq, the principle of the Arab Orphan Vocational School. Its branch in Ramallah was opened during the Intifada and its chairman was Dr. Naji Abd al-Jabbar from the al-Tarbiya neighborhood in Turmus'iya. The Foundation sponsors families of prisoners, who are members or supporters of Hamas. It also provides financial aid to Hamas-affiliated needy people, and to university students from Hamas, whether it be by providing them with tuition fees, or paying for their books and rental fees. In addition, it supports Hamas's election campaign in the university, and in general.

The Foundation's sources of income: Arabs and Muslims who live in America and Europe.

Upon its formation in Ramallah, the Foundation provided financial aid in the amount of \$10,000 to the Ramallah Hospital. It did so through the governor, in order to obtain the license it needed.

With the utmost respect,

Head of the Operations' Room  
Major Khaled Abu Yaman

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

MARK I. SOKOLOW, *et al.*,

Plaintiffs,

vs.

THE PALESTINE LIBERATION  
ORGANIZATION, *et al.*,

Defendants.

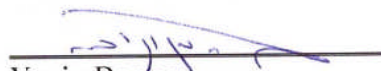
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**DECLARATION OF YANIV BERMAN**

Yaniv Berman hereby certifies, under penalty of perjury of the laws of the United States, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746(1) as follows:

1. The attached translation from Arabic to English is an accurate representation of the document received by my office, to the best of my knowledge and belief. The document is designated as “PA Document, dated December 22, 2001.”
2. I am a professional translator with an M.A. degree in Middle Eastern Studies from the Hebrew University of Jerusalem (Israel). I am fluent in Arabic and English, and I am qualified to translate accurately from Arabic to English.
3. To the best of my knowledge and belief, the accompanying text is a true, full and accurate translation of the Arabic-language document designated as “PA Document, dated December 22, 2001.”

Dated: June 20, 2014

  
Yaniv Berman





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السلطة الوطنية الفلسطينية

المخبرات العامة

مكتبة محافظات الضفة

دائرة \_\_\_\_\_

الأخ/مدير مخبرات محافظة رام الله والبيرة...حفظه الله  
تحية الوطن...

الموضوع: جمعية الأراضي الفلسطينية

هي جمعية عربية تأسست في أمريكا في منتصف السبعينات ولها فروع في معظم دول المنطقة. فرع فلسطين كان برئاسة أليس القلي مدير مدرسة اليتيم العربي لصناعية. تم افتتاح فرعها في رام الله خلال الانتفاضة برئاسة الدكتور ناجي عبد الجبار من ترمسها وسكن ضلحة التربية. الجمعية تقوم على رعاية أسر المعتقلين من حماس والنوابين لهم وكذلك دعم مادي للقراء المحسرين على حماس ومساعدة طلبة الجامعات من حماس سواء في الألباس أو ثمن الكتب وأجرة السكن عدا عن دعم الدعاية الانتخابية لحماس في الجمعية. وتحركة حماس بشكل عام.

مصدر دخل الجمعية من العرب والمسلمين المقيمين في أمريكا وأوروبا. عند مباشرة تأسيسها في رام الله قدمت الجمعية مساعدة مالية مقدارها (١٠٠٠٠٠) دولار لمستشفى رام الله عن طريق المحافظ للحصول على التراخيص اللازمة لها.

وتفضلوا بقبول فائق الاحترام

مدير غرفة العمليات

الرائد/يونس أبو يمن